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OMAHA AND CRETE ARE THE LEADERS

Showing Best Class Among the Basket Ball Squads of the State.

STATE TOURNEY NEXT

defeat and they are easily in direct line lineup; for championship honors.

The developments of the week showed up several of the seconda y squads in their true form. Columbus took a tight game from Beatrice on the Beatrice floor by a margin of one point. This made it quite clear that although the Columbus five is one of the fastest in the state it sannot compare with either Central High or Crete. It seems certain that the fight for the state title will sift to these two quintets, with the odd in favo of the Cretans. Crete's only close game was played with Geneva and since that team has bee ndefeated by Lincoln and Oceola there is strong argument against the sudden officiency of Coach Thiesen's

Builds Good Pive.

Coach A. R. Gelwick, producer of the champion Geneva five of 1913 sprung a surprise on state followers by molding the Osceola five into not only first division but championship caliber. Osceola has defeated both Geneva and the Nebraska Aggies. The latter team sucouth High warrios at the farm gym floor Friday evening, winning the game by a score of 29 to 18. The Packer record is sufficient issue in itself to point to the strength of the Merrick county five. Along with these two splendid victories Gelwick's five had a list of ten or more other s of lesser note.

West Point handed Fremont a defeat score on its own floor earlier in the season. Friday'r result at least assures the public of the strength of the West Point guintet, and its entrance into Class A. ably be unquestioned. Grand Island, a college team of this city won from th team that has hardly won a victory this fast York United Brethren college las year, defeated Broken Bow, a fast quintet of last year's tourney, by a score of goals starred. The lineup: 40 to 17, showing up the worth of the latter team. Geneva climinated Hebron rantly by winning a game with Coach Janda's team by a score of 43 to 14 Thursday night on the Geneva floor. Hebron still will probably retain a place defeated York easily on the York floor. (2), in the first division by reason of having

State Tourney Next. The season is about concluded as far as the respective schedules are concerned. Teams have shown their comparative PORTLAND BOY EQUALS worth and all that is left is the state tournament at Lincoln, March 8, 9, 10 and 11. About 120 teams are expected to enter, twenty-five of these probably making up the first division in the classification at the Capital city this week. Official announcement will probably be next week. The tournament will not only be one of the hardest fought in years, but will be the largest in history and will be topped by teams that represent some of the smallest towns in the state. The principal games of the week;

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West Point, 17; Fremont, 15.
Central High, 20; Lincoln, 15.
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Gothenburg, 60; Overton, 9.
Nebraska Aggies, 29; South High, 15.
Fairfield, 29; Superior, 14.
Craig, 27; Lyons, 7.
Crete, 36; Beatrice, 16.
Crete, 36; Hastings, 8.
Hebron, 26; York, 15.
Columbus, 30; Beatrice, 29.
Geneva, 42; Hebron, 14.
Hebron, 31; Fairfield, 26.
Grand Island, 46; Broken Bow, 17.

Dunn Will Manage Cleveland Team

CHICAGO, Pob. 20 .- That President club and that the new owners have sufficient money to go out and buy players to strongthen the Indians, President Johnson said on his return trip from New York today.

Mr. Dunn, he said, will announce the list of stockholders later. The Cleveland team would have purchased Frank Baker if New York had not beaten the new ewners by a few hours, according to Mr.

How to Prevent Croup. When the child is subject to attacks of oup, see to it that he cuts a light evenment, as an overloaded stomach may on as attack, also watch for the

Star Center Kept from Lineup by Injury and Hawkeyes Have Walkaway.

FINAL TWENTY-SIX TO NINE

IOWA CITY, Ia., Feb. 20,-(Special Telegram.)-Hard luck which had pursued the Ames team before again was on Central High of Omaha and C ete High when Green, who has been playing all school are clearly the leaders in the state basket ball arena judging from the showdisplaying the some consistent attack and prowess that they evinced in their fleurish through the first half of the season, came through the week with two victories marked up over Beat ice and period. Aldrich for the season, came through the season, came through the week with two victories marked up over Beat ice and period. Aldrich for the season, came through the first contest of the first contest of the first contest of the first contest of sixty-two five-man feams, 120 doubles and 240 singles had enrolled, making the highest entry ever received in a local tournament.

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Schiff LcC., L.C., Boynton of Goals from field: K. von Lackum (4), Bannick (3), W. H. von Lackum (2), Dutton (3), Aldrich (3), Goals from foul: W. H. von Lackum (6 out of eight), Swiney (5 out of ten), Substitutes: Laun for Dutton, Byers for K. von Lackum, Morgan for Porterfield, Abbott for Morgan, Referee: Birch of Earlham, Umpire: Hedges of Dartmouth, Timekeeper: Bhrader of Iowa, Time of halves: 20 minutes, Score: Iowa, 25; Amea, 3.

Masked Marvels Play Automatic Base Ball Game Candy Kitchen.

Masked marvels have invaded the field of automatic base ball in Omaha.

A team of five masked marvels has been organized and the masked marvels and two local stars, Misses McGreer and Rauber. Doubles and singles will be rolled during the evening by the regular

on its own floor Friday evening by a score of it to 16. Coach Grinnell's five walloped the west Point team by a big

ST. PAUL, Neb., Feb. 20 .- (Special.)quintet, and its entrance into Class A. In one of the fastest games of basset Tanner division of the state tourney will prob-

ST PAUL—2. RF YORK Gruber LF. R.F. LF. Jacobsen C. Miller LG R.G. Messbach R.G. LG

WORLD'S RECORD SCOR

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20 .- The poss in a schoolboy rifle shoot, which w claimed at the time to the a world's re ready for the public at the opening of Fielding, captain of the Portland His school rifle team, in a match with Morr High of New York in the Schoolbe Rifle League of America. One hundre bullseyes were shot prone and an equ number offhand. The record of 1912 w made by Wendell T. Smith of the Dee ing High school.

MURRAY AND MAN WIN PLACES IN THE FINA

NEW YORK, Feb. 20,-R. Lindley Mu ray of California and A. H. Man, J former Yale captain, wan places yesterd in the final round of the national indo tennis championship singles. The Ca fornian defeated Watson M. Washbur former Harvard star and one of the t ten of the country, 6-1, 6-1. Washburn was smothered under a fusillade of speedy smashes and drives. Man defeated Wylie C. Grant, five times holder of the championship, 7-5, 6-3.

HARLEY DAVIDSON BEATS DICK BRITTON BY HAIR league

Harley Davidson, the speedy roller skater, last night defeated Dick Britton of Omaha in an exciting half-mile race on the Auditorium roller rink. The time was 1:30 fist. Davidson got off shoad of Britton, but the latter passed him several times. At the finish, Davidson was only three inches in the lead.

JENNINGS WILL TAKE ONLY

FOUR NEW HURLERS SOUTH symptom-hoarseness, and give to Texas with him. They are Cunning-aberiain's Cough Remedy as soon as ham and Marshall of Chattanooga; Mcthe child becomes hearse. Obtainable Tigue of Toronto and Smithson of Lon-everywhere.—Advertisement.

IOWA MAKES MEAT OF AGS HANDICAP EVENT GETS UNDER WAY

Sixty-Two Five-Man Teams Are Entered in Big Tournament at the Huntington Alleys.

WOMEN BOWLERS TAKE PART

neapolis were the main attractions of the opening night. Both of these star women Bannick R.F. R.F. Braggon
W. von Lac'm L.F. Porterfield
Dutton Bwiney
K. von Lac'm R.G. R.G. Aldrich
Schiff L.C. L.C. Boynton
Schiff L.C. L.C. Boynton Mrs. Huff, city champion, defeated both of the northern stars in two five-game matches. Karr's Specials led in the team event on the opening night with a 2,768

> repeat, only rolling a 2,646 total. This afternoon at 1 o'clock six visiting teams will appear on the runways. Four Lincoln teams, one Schuyler all-star quintet and the fast Hein's Colts of Fremont are scheduled to roll. The Lincoln squads are the Lincoln Telephone Co., Dick Bros., Ladwig Bros. and Lincoln

At 2:30 o'clock Miss Laura Bruch will roll a special match with Miss Chandler. At 8 p. m. a doubles match will be rolled between Miss Chandler and Mrs. Garland

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Bowling Notes. Fits did the comeback in the Metro "Wally" Schoenman has signed up with the Jetter's Old Age team in the Omaha

The Grain Exchange league finished its schedule last week, with the Updike Grain team winning the flag.

"Pa" Kinnaman is selling horseshoes for a living. He certainly ought to reap a harvest, he always had a hig supply of them. House men are not barred in the Women's league. Miss Mabel Houseman rolled with the Nebraska Clothing team ast week.

Joe Dober was refused admittance as the Old Bowlers' home last week by the besid of directors, because his average is too high. The Pete Lochs pulled the Clara Belles flown a few notches by winning the en-

tire series. The latter are still leading the league, The two Jetter teams will roll in To-ledo on March 13 and 14. The Metz and Luxus roll March 18 and 19 and the Storz roll on the last two days, March 23 and

The Murphy Did Its are stepping out in the limelight. They knocked off a big series in the Gate City league last week and are leading in the Metropolitan tournament. Several of the bowling sharks out in the state will meet here during the Hunt-ington tournament and settle several old scores. Special matches will be staged on different alleys.

How can you please them? The second rate bowlers say they have no chance in a scratch tournament and shark bowlers say they have no chance in a handicap tournament. Tempermental and eccentric bunch, those bowlers.

Leagues rolling on the Farnam alleys will be treated to a handloap tournament early in April, when most of the leagues are finishing their schedules. This was the announcement of Manager Sciple, who has been receiving numerous requests for such an affair from the leaguers rolling on his drives.

leaguers rolling on his drives.

The five-men team scores of the Pats Loch quintet in Minneapolis will probably go down in bowling annals as an unsolved mystery. When the members of the team are questioned about the scores, a serious case of lockjaw results "Dad" Huntington and Frank Conrad will serve about two weeks in jail, starting last Friday night. They will conduct the big Huntington handleap tournament and both declare they would rather break rock.

A new league, known as the Farnam league, is being organised to roll Friday nights on the Farnam alleys, to take the place of the Omaha Grain Exchange league, which completed its schedule last week. Eight five-men teams composed of B class bowlers will be given franchises. Teams already signed up are the Updike Grain Company, Omaha National Hanks, United States National Hanks. United States National Hanks. City Hall Feds, Nebraska Telephone. Company and Grain Exchange All Stars. Franchises will be issued to any other two teams upon request at the organization meeting at the Farnam alleys next Friday night.

Some of the Omaha bowlers attending

TIE BETWEEN SIX-DAY BIKE TEAMS IS BROKEN

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.-The tie between the teams in the six-day bicycle official. race in Convention hall here had been borken when the day's riding closed at Baby Doesn't Like bunched, with a record of 231 miles traveled in nine and one-half hours' riding, while two other teams, Ohrt and Rudi-Russe and Madonna and Grimm, were one lap behind the leaders with a score of 200 miles eleven laps.

Several fast sprints marked the close of the day's work. One resulted in a Corry-Ryan team emerged badly hurt.

YALE WRESTLING TEAM DEFEATS PENNSYLVANIA

pound and a decision in the 115 pound

COURT HOUSE POOL SHARKS BITE OFF TOO BIG A CHUNK

Lester Murphy and Joe Byrne, a couple of court house pool sharks, went out looking for trouble the other day, and found it. They challenged Frank A. Elias and R. G. Conklin to a five-game pool battle and accompanied the defi by five cold rocks. Elias and Conklin accepted the challenge and proceeded to trim the challengers four straight games.

TIGERS SOON TO REACH THEIR TRAINING PLACE

WAXAHACHIE, Feb. 20.-The Detroit American league base ball squad will arrive here Pebruary 29, to begin spring training, it was said in advices received here today. Hugh Jennings, manager for breaches of discipline. and Harry Tuttle, trainer, are expected here tomerrow to complete arrangements for the Detroit quarters.

BOBBY SCHANG SENT TO THE INDIANAPOLIS CLUB

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28.-The purshase of Catcher Bobby Schang from the New York Nationals, and formerly with St. Joseph, was announced tonight by James C. McGill. owner of the Indianapolis American association club. The onsideration was not made public.

It takes but a minue of time to save dollars when you read The Bee Want Ad

OMAHA CENTRAL TRIMS LINCOLN

in Close Game at Capital City.

LINCOLN, Feb. 20 .- (Special Telegram.) Omaha High school defeated Lincoln last night, 20 to 15, on the Young Men's
Christian association floor, in a hardfought game which was in doubt until
the closing minutes of play.

Omaha started in the lead and held it
Grand Island.

Omaha Whist Club...

until the close of the first half, when Lincoln spurted and the period ended 9 to 9. Omaha again took the lead in the second half and held it until the close. Albrecht starred for Lincoln, while Maxwell was the principal point maker for Omaha.

This is omaha's second victory over OMAHA.

Maxwell R.F. L.F. McBride
Patty L.F. R.F. Albrecht
Paynter C. C. Brian
Grove R.G. L.G. Schroeder
Logan L.G. R.G. Smith
Substitutes: North for McBride, Neal
for North, Andrews for Brian. Field
goals: Albrecht (3), Brian, Smith, Maxwell (4), Patty (2), Paynter, Grove, Logan. Free throws: Brian (5), Patty (4).
Referee: Beck, University Place. Lincoln in basket ball. The lineup:

Army and Navy in Conflict with Yale And Harvard Game

likely that the Army-Navy game will be played on Franklin field November 25 next. This will mean a clash with the Yale-Harvard game in the bowl at New set championship caliber. Ossocial seteated both Geneva and the Nea Aggies. The latter team guodic is walking on Coach Patton's High warrio at the farm symbolic during the evening by the regular of the Marty Krug of the Rourkes and Bunny Holland and John Dennison of the Luxus are on the team. They took three games out of five from the Alamitos. Filday evening, winning the game strength of the Merrick country. Is sufficient issue in itself to point e strength of the Merrick country. Also Schilebner set up a new record for the object of the port of the word of the strength of the Merrick country. Point handed Fremont a defeat own floor earlier in the seasor of 18 to 18. Paul Wins Game

From York College

St. Paul Wins Game

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St. Paul, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special)—

St. Paul, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special)— Haven, and while the service authorities 1915 game at the Polo Grounds it was intimated that the Navy might agree to a readjustment of the agreement which called for the playing of the 1916 contest at Philadelphia, but it is now understood that talk of this nature was not at all

George Stallings, So Schmidt Quits

Members of the Braves who reside in or near Boston, declare that Charley spill from which Frank Corry of the Schmidt of the Braves was forced to quit the team on account of his baby. Last season Charley was on the bench and, suddenly, looking wistfully to the south. One of the members of the team asked him the cause, and he replied: "I'm thinking of the kid at home, and wish PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.-The Yale I were there." Someone said, "You're wrestling team defeated Pennsiyvania getting sentimental, Charley," and he reyesterday, by the score of 23 to 9. plied, "Well, when the kid said, Daddy, Yale gained falls in the 125-pound, 158- I don't like Mr. Stallings,' and then pound and heavyweight class and won added, 'It's because he keers you away decisions in the 125 and 175 pound class. from us," then I thought it about time Pennsylvania gained a fall in the 145 to quit."

Soldier Fleeing from Prison Meets Death

cessful attempt to escape from the United States desciplinary barracks on Alcatras island in San Francisco bay today, resulted in the death by drowning for Claude Ely, and in capture for his companion, who name was withheld by the government authorities. In a heavy fog they slipped away from the guards and entered the water. The tide, however, was too strong for them, and both attempted to reach Alcatras rock about 100 yards south of the island. Ely's companion succeeded, but Ely, according to the captured man, sank from sight a few feet from safety. Both men were serving short terms

RICHARDS TROPHY TO New Arsenal at SIOUX CITY KNIGHTS

Local High School Five Wins Out Visiting Team Carries Away Coveted Prize at Central Whist

Richards Trophy Bace.

The Knights of Columbus Whist club of Sioux City carried away the Richards trophy and the honors of the Twentysecond annual championship tournament of the Central Whist association held at the Fontenelle Friday and Saturday. The Omaha Whist club, that looked like a sure winner after Friday's play, three games Saturday and finished at the foot of the ladder.

Omahans Get Trophy.

The St. Joseph trophy for pairs was won by Riseman and Wigton of Omaha with a total of plus 14%. The rest came in the following order:

Langfeller and Nelson, plus 10: Thomas and Martin, plus 19; Schleal and Libbe, plus 44; Abbott and Chambers, plus 4: Earton and Reynolds, plus 2; Wickman and Moore, minus 3; Stebbins and Sckler, minus 2: Buck and Shawcross, minus 194; Ross and Jeffers, minus 3; Corcoran and Carpenter, minus 10%; Penniston and Gallup, minus 26.

The Schmetzer trophy for the free-for-all, which was held last

all, which was held last evening, was wen by Dohms and Veit of Grand Island with a score of plus 61-6. Barton and Reynolds, and Libbe and Schiesl tied with plus 4 5-6. St. Joseph was selected Saturday after-

noon as the place for the next annual

Des Moines Ready For Occupancy

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 20.—Property of the Iowa National Guard will here-after be safeguarded in the new \$16,000 arsenal, which is ready for occupancy. and which was erected by the state mili-SECOND VICTORY THIS SEASON ST. JOE TROPHY TO OMAHANS tary department at Camp Dodge, near

> Heretofore the military property has been stored in a Des Moines warehouse at a rental cost of \$1,000 a year. Adjutant General Guy E. Logan obtained authority to build the new arsenal from the last general assembly. The building is convenient to the camp grounds and munitions can be more easily handled and at less expense than under the old system, says weneral Logan. The structure is fireproof.

M'GRAW NOW HAS SIX **OUTFIELDERS ON STAFF**

Manager McGraw now has six outfielders. Besides Rousch, they are Kauff, Burns, Robertson, Thorpe and Babington.

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